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The Department of Medical-Examiner Coroner's Antelope Valley Regional Office (AVRO), located at 44900 60th Street West in Lancaster was established in the late 1980's to facilitate the expedient and efficient handling of cases arising in the Antelope Valley.

With a crypt capacity for four decedents and two dedicated Coroner investigators, the AVRO handles field calls, hospital calls, mortuary sign outs, Special Operations Response Team and other matters. Over the past 4 years, the total workload at the AVRO, including field calls and hospital calls, has increased from a low of 420 to a high of 530.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors direct the Medical-Examiner Coroner to work with the Chief Executive Office and report back to the board in 30 days with a review of the resources available at the Coroner's Antelope Valley Regional Office and recommendations to improve operations and reduce response times.

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